

THRESHFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher's Message

A fantastic atmosphere around school at the moment with all the exciting activities taking place. This term is where the children takes huge strides in their learning and we really start to see the academic progress.

Dates for your Diary

Please check the calendar on the school website for future events

Quiz Night & Silent Auction

Friday 1st March at 7:30 , Old Hall ,Threshfield.
Silent auction will be live from 16th Feb

Harlow Carr Visit

Tuesday 5th March
The Saplings class will be visiting for Harlow Carr as part of Geography topic.

Thornton Hall Park Visit

Wednesday 6th March
The reception and preschool children will be visiting the farm.

World Book Day

Friday 8th March
See back page of the newsletter

Acorns Mothers Day Afternoon

Monday 11th March
Information sent out via Dojo.
Please contact the school office if you have not had your slot.

Yr. 5/6 Climbing Competition

Tuesday 12th March
More info to follow

Parents Evening

Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th March
Information to be released nearer the date.

Crucial Crew for Year 6

Wednesday 20th March
Year 6 children work with the emergency services to develop their knowledge of how to keep safe.

Rewind to Easter

Wednesday 20th March
Yr 5 children at Netherside Hall in the morning

Acorns

The acorns have continued their work on height and length this week in maths. We looked at the 'lifesize' books by Sophy Henn and measured out the length and width of a great white sharks mouth. We were shocked to discover that all of reception and a few of preschool could fit in in one bite, gulp!

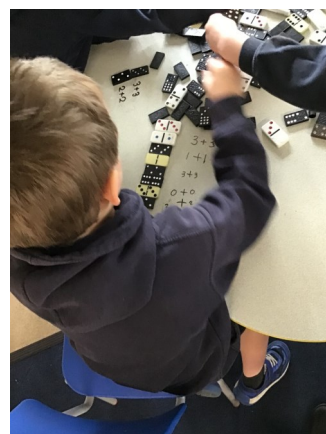
In PE we are developing our gymnastic floor work. In pairs we were able to create some fantastic movement sequences and show them to the rest of the group.



Seedlings

This week we have created our own animal characters who are struggling with their very big feelings. The children will be writing their own stories based on our class book 'Fergal is Fuming.'

Our Great Fire Of London topic has continued in History and this week our focus was how the city was rebuilt. We heard what King Charles II had in mind and sketched our ideas of a better and safer London. There was some excellent ideas!



Saplings

This week we are in full swing with our measurement units in Maths and the children are enjoying the practical aspects of the topic.

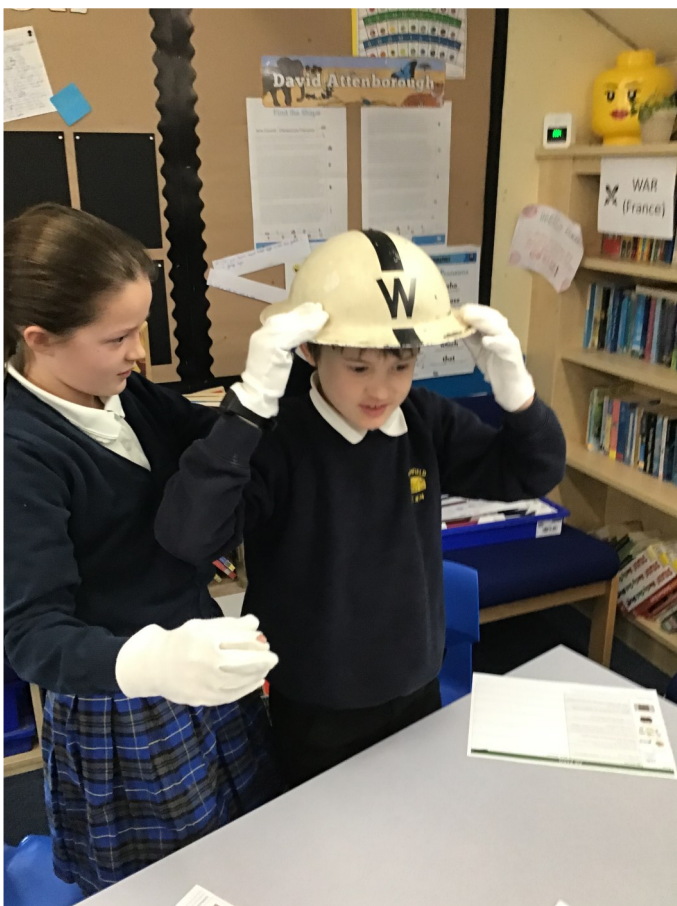
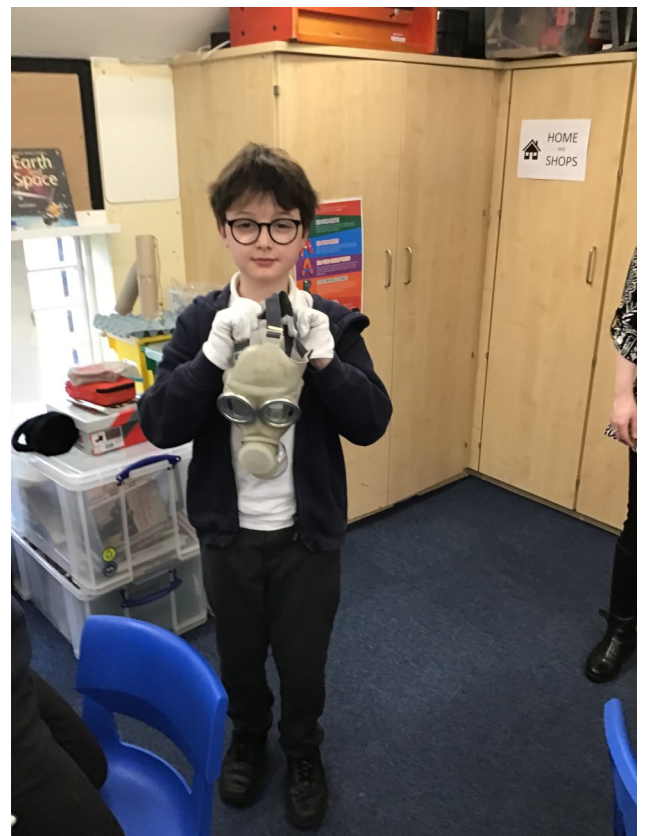
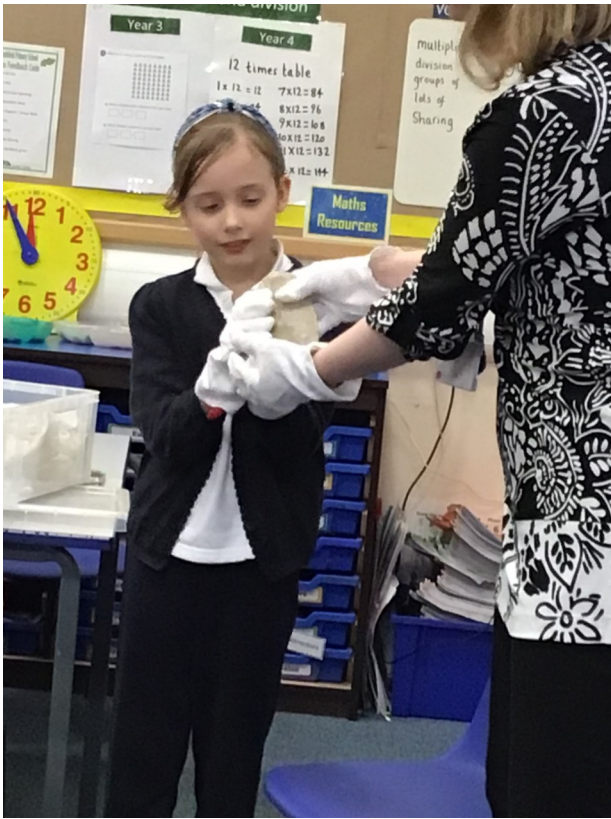
We had a superb History Lesson this week delivered by Chloe from Skipton Museum. She brought in a wonderful collection of artefacts from the Stone Age and Iron Age which the children could hold. The lesson was very 'hands on' for the children as they became archaeologists for the afternoon, trying to decipher what the objects were and how they would have been used.

They used magnifying glasses to look closely at the different materials and also made a human timeline in the classroom!

Oaks

A full on week of hard work in Oaks Class but certainly not without its fair share of fun. On Tuesday morning, we welcomed :

Chloe Fowler from Craven Museum to deliver a workshop about WWII and the Home Front. While lots of learning took place, we also got to explore artefacts and were shocked by some of the limitations on food and clothing; one new outfit per year! We're also enjoying the links with our English book this term, 'Goodnight Mister Tom.'



World Book Day

This year marks 25 years since World Book Day began. The idea behind World Book Day is to inspire children to read.

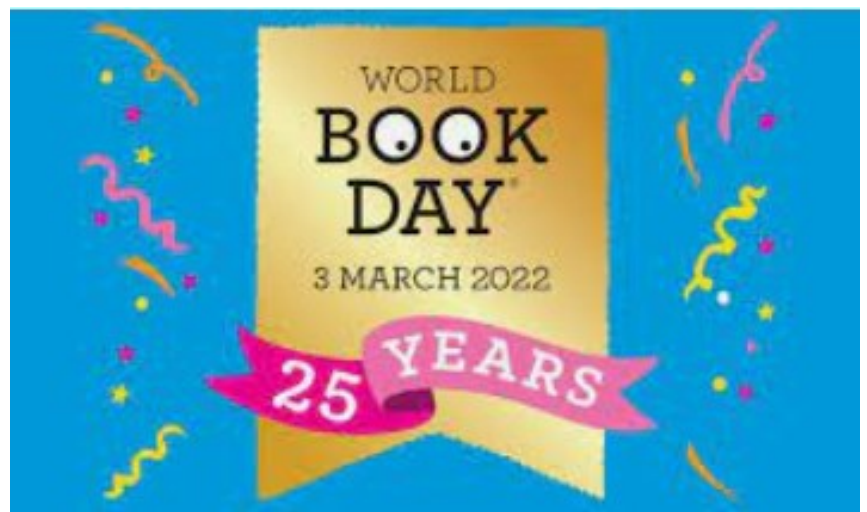
As always, we are going to be celebrating World Book Day but we are going to make this a joint celebration! This year marks 25 years since Mrs Whitaker began working at Threshfield Primary School.

So we are going to do a joint party!

Our theme this year is: Mrs Whitaker.

So please come dressed as your favourite scientific book characters. Please remember that the realms of science stretch far and wide. You can be famous scientists, astronauts, Dr Frankenstein's monster, George's Marvellous Medicine (remember that chemistry underpins that story).

Be creative!



Week	Acorns	Seedlings	Saplings	Oaks	Whole School
Week One	96.9%	96.5%	95.3%	96.2%	96.2%
Week Two	92.4%	91.7%	97.9%	97.8%	95.0%
Week Three					
Week Four					
Week Five					

This week our overall attendance: 95%